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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The undersigned attorney petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Brief on Appeal pursuant to the Notice of Appeal received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 16, 2002 for three months, from October 16, 2002 to January 16, 2003.

A one-month extension of time to extend the time for filing a Brief on Appeal from October 16, 2002 to November 16, 2002 was filed on November 18, 2002 with payment of a \$110.00 fee.

Applicant hereby petitions for an additional two-month extension of time for filing a Brief on Appeal from November 16, 2002 to January 16, 2003.

In lieu of filing a Brief on Appeal, Applicant's Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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